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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Inventor: Philippe Letellier et al.  
Application No.: 09/807,011  
Filed: June 29, 2001  
Title: APPLICATIONS MANAGER WITH VARIABLE  
MANAGEMENT INSTRUCTION SET  
Examiner: Diem K. Cao  
Art Unit: 2126

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action date April 21, 2004, for which a shortened statutory period of three months ending July 21, 2004, was set in which to respond, and for which pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), a two-month extension, ending September 21, 2004, is hereby requested, the following amendments and comments are submitted and reconsideration of the claim rejections is respectfully requested.

Applicants submit in view of the attached Certificate of Mailing this response is timely.

**Listing and Amendments to the Claims** begin on Page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.